



MEMORANDUM

To: Mayor and City Council

From: Greg Ward, Deputy Chief of Police

CC: George Purefoy, City Manager
Ron Patterson, Assistant City Manager

Subject: 2011 UASI Grant Acceptance

Date: November 28, 2011

Action Requested: Consider and act on upon approval of a Resolution authorizing the City Manager to accept a Grant Award of \$45,000 from the Department of Homeland Security for a Covert Intelligence through-wall radar unit.

Background Information: The Frisco Police Department submitted and was awarded a grant from the North Central Texas Council of Governments and FY2011 Homeland Security Grant, Urban Area Security Initiative (UASI) for a Covert Intelligence Through-Wall radar unit.

The acceptance of the UASI (Urban Area Security Initiative) grant will allow for the purchase of a covert intelligence through-wall radar unit(s). The unit(s) will be utilized primarily by the police department's special operation unit for high risk operations. The unit uses radar technology to see through walls to give covert intelligence of the location and movement of people in situations where it would otherwise be impossible to gain such insight.

Alternatives: The Council could choose to accept this award, deny this request or request additional information.

Financial Considerations: None

Legal Review: None required

Supporting Documents: Texas DPS 2011 Sub-Recipient Award

Staff Recommendation: Staff recommends approval.